

Message Text

PAGE 01 MADRID 07348 271639Z

41

ACTION NEA-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 NEAE-00 SS-15 INR-07 SSO-00 INRE-00

CIAE-00 NSC-05 NSCE-00 EUR-12 /050 W

----- 018043

O 271102Z SEP 76

FM AMEMBASSY MADRID

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7305

INFO AMEMBASSY ALGIERS

AMEMBASSY PARIS

AMEMBASSY NOUAKCHOTT

AMEMBASSY RABAT IMMEDIATE

C O N F I D E N T I A L MADRID 7348

C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (TEXT)

E.O.11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR,SP, MO

SUBJECT: REPORTS ABOUT KING HASSAN'S VISIT TO MADRID

REF: MADRID 7343

1. WHEN CHEIF OF HIGH GENERAL STAFF, LT. GENERAL VALLESPIN, LUNCHEDED WITH ME ON SATURDAY, SEPTMEBER 25, HE TOLD ME THAT HE HAD CONCLUDED THAT THE WORD ABOUT KING HASSAN COMING TO MADRID HAD BEEN PLANTED BY THE ALGERIANS. HE EXPLAINED THAT AS SPANISH RADIO AND TELEVISION CAN BE PICKED IN MOROCCO, PREUMABLY FROM THE CANARY ISLANDS, REPORTS CONCERNING HASSAN'S HEALTH WOULD BE DIFFUSED IN MOROCCO. VALLESPIN EXPRESSED CONSIDERABLE ANNOYANCE WITH ALL OF THIS AND SAID ANY RESAONABLE EFFORTS BY SPANISH RADION AND TV TO CHECK THE STORY WOULD HAVE RESULTED IN ITS NOT BEING USED. HE COMMENTED THAT IT WAS UNFORTUNATLEY TRUE THAT THERE WAS CONSIDERABLE COMMUNIST INFLTRATION INTO THE TV AND RADIO SETUP HERE.
CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 MADRID 07348 271639Z

2. VALLESPIN CONFIRMED THAT HASSAN HAD BEEN FURIOUS ABOUT THESE REPORTS AND HAD CALLED THE SPANISH AMBASSADOR IN RABAT LATE LAST WEEK ABOUT 2'OCLODK IN THE MORNING STRONGLY TO PTOTEST THE SPANISH STORIES, ALL OF WHICH HAVE NOW BEEN DENIED (REFTEL).

3. VALLESPIN ALSO COMMENTED THAT THE SPANISH HAD BEEN CONCERNED ABOUT THE FRENCH INTELLIGENCE REPORTS ON MORROCCAN MILITARY REINFORCEMENTS ALONG THE ALGERIAN BORDERS. HE SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHAT HAD LED TO THESE REINFORCCEMENTS, BUT HE HAD CONCLUDED THAT IT WAS UNLIKELY THAT THERE WOULD BE AN OUTBREAK OF HOSTILITIES BETWEEN MOROCCO AND ALGERIA.
STABLER

CONFIDENTIAL

<< END OF DOCUMENT >>

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 16 SEP 1999
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: HEALTH, MEDICAL CARE, PFOR, ALLEGATIONS, VISITS, RADIO BROADCASTING
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 27 SEP 1976
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: BoyleJA
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1976MADRID07348
Document Source: ADS
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: 11652 GDS
Errors: n/a
Film Number: D760364-0055
From: MADRID
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1976/newtext/t197609108/baaaesql.tel
Line Count: 65
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, TEXT ON MICROFILM
Office: ACTION NEA
Original Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: BoyleJA
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 26 APR 2004
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <26 APR 2004 by CollinP0>; APPROVED <12 AUG 2004 by BoyleJA>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
04 MAY 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: REPORTS ABOUT KING HASSAN'S VISIT TO MADRID
TAGS: PFOR, SP, MO, (HASSAN II)
To: STATE INFO ALGIERS
PARIS
NOUAKCHOTT
RABAT
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 04 MAY 2006

